## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1100 By Johnson R

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jessa Taylor Blair, 2006 Salutatorian of Greenback High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Jessa Taylor Blair is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2006 graduating class at Greenback High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Jessa Blair has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Blair has earned an exemplary 4.08 grade point average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America, the Spanish Club, and Peace in Action; and

WHEREAS, highly regarded as a leader among her peers, Jessa Blair has served as the Vice President of the Beta Club, Chairperson of Future Business Leaders of America, Editor of the Greenback High School yearbook, and athletic trainer for the school's football team; and

WHEREAS, as a result of her dedication to academic excellence, Ms. Blair has received a *Daily Times* Academic Letter in Language Arts and a Hope Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Jessa Blair's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Blair's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Stephen and Rebecca Blair, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Blair's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2006 Greenback High School Salutatorian, Jessa Taylor Blair, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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